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filling a container having a spray means selected to produce a fine mist spray;

spraying said mixture of water soluble animal collagen and water directly on the skin in a fine mist spray ;

whereby said water soluble animal collagen binds and retains said water to moisturize the skin.

Please amend the remaining claims as follows:

Claim 4, line 1, change "preparation" to -- system --;

line 2, change "18" to -- 22 --;

Claim 5, line 1, change "preparation" to -- system --;

line 2, change "18" to -- 22 --;

Claims 6-8 and 10, line 1, change "preparation" to --

system --;

Claim 13, line 1, change "11" to -- 23 --;

Claim 15, line 1, change "11" to -- 23 --;

Claim 20, line 1, change "19" to -- 22 --.

REMARKS

The courtesy and professionalism extended to applicant by the Examiner, and the Examining Supervisor, in the recent PTO visit and subsequent telephone interviews is greatly appreciated. The Examiner's suggestions have been very helpful in the preparation of this Amendment and have been incorporated in the amended claim.

Claims 11, 12, 14 and 16-19 have been cancelled and new claims 22 and 23 added to describe the novel features of applicant's invention more specifically in a sincere effort to place this application in condition for allowance. The claims now recite in more positive terms the combination of the mixture and the spraying means for applying the formula to the skin in a fine mist. Additionally, the claims now recite a specific water soluble collagen in the range suggested by the Examiner with the limitation that mixture "consists essentially of" the ingredients recited as required. Likewise, method